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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed on attached Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record. Copies of the listed documents required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2) are enclosed for the convenience of the Examiner.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97(g), (h), this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made, and is not to be

construed to be an admission that the information cited is, or is considered to be, material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(b).

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e)(1), Applicants hereby certify that item labeled C167 contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of the present statement, as evidenced by the date of the enclosed European office action.

Applicants certify, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e)(2), that items C168 and C169 contained in this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement were not cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application, and, to the knowledge of the person signing the certification after making reasonable inquiry, items C168 and C169 contained in this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement were not known to any individual designated in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(c) more than three months prior to the filing of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, as evidenced by the date of the U.S. office action and response to opposition.

Items labeled A158 and C166 are included in this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement out of an abundance of caution because they are addressed in item C169, a Response to Opposition, and were not previously cited in this application.

This application may be related by inventorship and/or subject matter to the following co-pending U.S. applications:

Serial No. 10/664,535, filed September 19, 2003 (HLR.0101D1/KCIN:071USD1);

Serial No. 12/618,411, filed November 13, 2009 (HLR.0101D1C1/KCIN:071USC1);

Serial No. 11/515,983, filed September 5, 2006 (HLR.0102C2D1N1/KCIN:076USC1);

Serial No. 11/051,283, filed February 4, 2005 (HLR.0101C2N1/KCIN:077USC1);

Serial No. 11/684,989, filed March 12, 2007 (HLR.0104P-US.N1/KCIN:079USC1);

Serial No. 12/860,581, filed August 20, 2010 (HLR.0100P-US.D2/KCIN.P0080US.D2);
Serial No. 12/328,531, filed December 4, 2008 (HLR.0106P-US.N1/KCIN:082USC1);
Serial No. 10/509,137, filed September 27, 2004 (HLR.0107P-US/KCIN:083US);
Serial No. 11/230,988, filed September 20, 2005 (HLR.0109N1/KCIN:085USC1);
Serial No. 11/242,543, filed October 3, 2005 (HLR.0110N1/KCIN:086USC1); and
Serial No. 10/276,778, filed November 18, 2002 (HLR.0111P-US/KCIN:087US).

A fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) in the amount of \$180.00 is enclosed. If an appropriate payment has not been enclosed, or if it is insufficient, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct the appropriate fee from Fulbright & Jaworski Account No.: 50-1212/KCIN:088US.

Applicants respectfully request that the listed documents be made of record in the present case.

Respectfully submitted,

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